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<b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>	Docket Number (Optional) 53893-5046-00 (207118)
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In re application of: James A. Hoxie, *et al.*

Application No. 10/767,648

Filed: January 29, 2004

For: COMPOSITIONS, METHODS AND KITS RELATING TO DELETION MUTATIONS OF IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS GP120 HYPERVARIABLE REGIONS

Art Unit: 1648

Examiner: Agnieszka Boesen

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

	Large Entity	Small Entity
One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	\$ 120	\$ 60
Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	\$ 450	\$ 225
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	\$1020	<b>\$ 510</b>
Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	\$1590	\$ 795
Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	\$2160	\$1080

☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.☒ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

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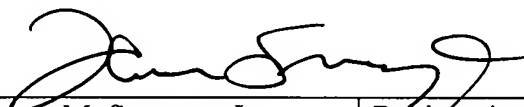
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☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-0573. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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